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Sir:

Attached is a submission in the above-identified patent application, including the following:

- 1) Executed Power of Attorney and Correspondence Address Indication Form (PTO/SB/81) with Executed Statement under 37 C.F.R. 3.71(b) (PTO/SB/96).
- 2) A Petition for One-Month Extension of Time, Small Entity Status is claimed.
- 3) Reply to Restriction Requirement.

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In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed June 16, 2004, Applicants elect the claims of Group VI, Claims 33-36 and 40-42, as drawn to a method for screening for an antagonist of the PYI motif or P564 spanning protein, for further prosecution.

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